

Patrol Leader's Council Meeting

January 30, 2006

- 1. Scoutmaster Comments:** Klondike Derby was a fun weekend. Troop 714 was the largest troop there. Matt Frazier has earned his Eagle and was sworn in as Junior Assistant Scoutmaster. He is to be treated as an adult in the troop.
- 2. Quartermaster:** Checking out action packers. Propane tank donated. **Historian:** need pictures of Court of Honor. Mr. Murray and Mr. Watkins have pictures. **O/A Rep.:** sent out email about O/A elections. 30 candidates for O/A. will have preprinted ballots for Monday's election. **Librarian:** library updated and new tabs on folders. **Chaplain:** Scout Sunday and Scout Sabbath set up. Made an announcement about playing your instruments. He did the service at the Klondike this weekend. Troop Guide: Pack 417 visiting on Monday. 10 scouts and 8 adults committed. We can have no more than 2 patrols. **Flaming Falcons:** Klondike; tied for 1st place in cooking. **Lightning:** working on service projects. **Night Hawks:** helping the other scouts achieve their ranks; went on a campout and working on Engineering MB. **Cobras:** 9 went to Klondike and earned 2nd place in the block game; have had 2 patrol meetings and elected PL, APL, and QM.
- 3. Summer Camp:** 40 scouts have signed up' about 6 short. PL contact your patrol members who are not signed up and find out about camp. If the date is a problem, let the SM know. Do at least 2 Eagle merit badges.
- 4. Philmont:** Full crew. For 2007, we are 1100 out of 1418 on waiting list. Put a list of options for high adventure trips if don't get a slot.
- 5. Reflection on last month's meetings:** Start time good. Some games got out of control. Capture the flag had no clear boundaries. Patrol leaders need to help keep your patrol participating and playing fair.
- 6. Manatee Trip:** Patrols will be cooking Saturday and Sunday dinners and Monday breakfast. Sunday breakfast: hot chocolate and bagels, example, since we have to get up very early. Sunday and Monday's lunches will be fast food. Adults cooking in patrols.
- 7. Pine straw:** scouts earn 50 cents a bale, highest amount ever. Form on the website for reimbursement from scout account.
- 8. BP:** March 4th. Mr. Mattle. Pinhote Trail in Alabama. Visit POPS the local burger dive.
- 9.** Kayak Training requires class 3 medical forms.
- 10.** SM recommended that Philmont adults take Wilderness 1st Aid training on April 21st-23rd. This course teaches First aid after the first 30minutes.
- 11. June rafting trip:** Switch to Hiwassee River. Class 1 & 2 rapids, fishing opportunities. Lee Decker is the Scout in Charge. Mr. McFarland is looking for another adult to be in charge due to Philmont.
- 12.** SM went over the Honor roll requirements for 2006.
- 13.** Joseph Seibert is now the Scout in Charge for the Spring Camporee and the March BP trip. David Pfau is the Scout in charge of the April BP trip.
- 14.** Rehearsal for band members for Scout Sunday will be next Monday, 2/6 at 6:30.
- 15.** O/A elections are next Monday. O/A brothers wear your sashes.
- 16.** Mandatory meeting next week, 2/6/06, to watch Manatee film for scouts and adults going on trip. Balance of trip fee is due.